

Vol. XXXVII No. 5602.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON: -F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's

Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE

STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON

& GOTCH, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES

HENDY & Co., 4, Old Jewry, E.C.

SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154,

PARIS AND EUROPE :-- LEON DE ROSNY,

NEW YORK: -ANDREW WIND, 133, Nas-

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports-

ZEALAND:-Gordon & Gotch, Mel-

generally :- BEAN & BLACK, San Fran-

Co., Square, Singapore. C. Heinszen

Amoy, Wilson, Nicholls & Co.

Food ow, Hedge & Co. Shanghai,

LAND, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY

& WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CRAW-

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI-BANKIN

PAID-UP CAPITAL, 5,000,000 Dollars.

RESERVE FUND,......1,800,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman-A. McIver, Esq.

Deputy Chairman-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.

E. R. Belillos, Esq. | Hon. F. B. Johnson.

H. DE C. FORBES, WM. REINERS, Esq.

Hoppius, Esq. W. S. Young, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER.

Shanghai,.....Ewen Cameron, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

4 per cent.

5 per cent.

Credits granted on approved Securities,

and every description of Banking and

Drafts, granted on London, and the

T. JACKSON,

SAN FRANCISCO,

Hongkond,

HANKOW.

FOOCHOW,

No. 1, Queen's Road East

Chief Manager.

chief Commercial places in Europe, India

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

TECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL

Convention of 30th April, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP.....23,200,000.

HEAD OFFICE-14, RUE BERGERE,

PARIS.

AGENCIES and BRANCHES at:

MELBOURNE, and SYDNEY.

LONDON BANKERS:

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

MESSRS C. J. HAMBRO & SON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed

Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on

application, grants Drafts and Credits on

all parts of the World, and transacts every

description of Banking Exchange Business.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

TOATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DE-

3 months' notice 3% per Annum.

Current Accounts kepts on Terms which

GEO. O. SCOTT,

Acting Manager.

may be learnt on application. .

Oriental Bank Corporation.

Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

NOTICE.

COMPANY, LIMITED,

s prepared to accept First-class Risks at

2 nett per Annum, and other Insurances at Proportionate Rates.

deareholders are reminded that the Direc-

the power of distributing a certain

among such Shareholders as have contri-

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of

proportion of the accertained profits annually

ongkong, May 19, 1881.

buted business to the Company.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

A. G. STOKES,

Acting Berretary.

Hongkong, April 12, 1881.

E. SCHWEBLIN,

Agent, Hongkong.

BOURBON,

CALCUTTA,

SHANGHAI,

MARSEILLES, BOMBAY,

LONDON,

LYONS,

ralia, America, China and Japan,

For Fixed Deposits :--

Exchange business transacted.

Offices of the Corporation,

Hongkong, June 14, 1881.

N Current Deposit Account at the rate

of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily

F. D. SASSOON, Esq.

CORPORATION.

Swatow, CAMPBELL & Co.

CHINA :- Macao, Messrs A. A. DE MELLO

SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c. :- SAYLE & | tion on and after this Date.

Leadenhall Street.

bourne and Sydney.

sau Street.

FOUD & Co.

10, Rue Monsieur, Paris.

號八十月六年一十八百八千一英

Notices of Firms.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

DURING my Absence from Hongkong,

NOTICE.

R. FRANCIS CASS is hereby autho

IVI rized to Sigh our Firm by Procura-

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned will offer FOR SALE

MONDAY NEXT.

the 4th-July, 1881, at 4 p.m. (unless pre-

viously disposed of by private contract),-

THE VERY VALUABLE BUILDING

GROUND.

QUEEN'S ROAD WEST, and known as the

TERMS OF SALE. -\$1,000 to be, paid on

the fall of the hammer; the Balance may

For further Particulars and Conditions.

SHARP & Co.,

Mouses and Estates.

13, Queen's Road Central, opposite

the Chartered Bank of India,

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

VALVOLINE WANDER OIL.

HIS Oil is a bricant for the Valves and Cylinder of Steam Engines, and is free from the objections which exist

against the use of tallow or vegetable oils.

JUST LANDED AND FOR SALE.

T ADY'S COSTUMES, best quality and

LADY'S TENNIS SHOES, &c., &c.

TOHN BAZLEY WHITE &

PORTLAND CEMENT.

Sole Agents for China,

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

FOR SALE.

DOURBON WHISKY, "SHORT HORN"

N. M. KHAMISA

Drapery Store, 8 d 10 Peel Street.

Hongkong, June 27, 1881.

of the latest Designs.

Hongkong, June 15, 1881.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

Indian JEWELRY.

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Australia and China.

Auctioneers, Valuators of Lands,

YEE TAI Timber Yard.

of Sale, refer to

remain on interest at 6 per cent.

Hongkong, June 27, 1881.

by Public Auction, on the Premises

By Order of the Board,

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

Amoy, 1st June, 1881.

Mr. ROBERT COOKE will act a

D. GILLIES,

Secrétary.

ELLES & Co.

Established February, 1845. HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 1881.

For Sale.

TAVE RECEIVED the following NEW STOCK ox "GLENEARN," STORES:-/.

HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS. American BISCUITS. ISIGNY BUTTER (L. C. & Co.'s special). Englishand American CHEESE. FRUITS in SYRUP or NOYEAU.

FISH IN TINS :- HERRINGS, SARDINES. SALMON CUTLET, LOBSTER, &c., &c. Irish and Wiltshire BACON. Yorkshire HAMS and Bath CHAPS. HERBS and ESSENCES (for flavouring).*

CHERRY BRANDY, CHERRY CORDIAL. WHITE CURACAO and NOYEAU.

CHARTREUSE and MARASCHINO.

SACCONE'S SHERRIES.

BASS'S PALE ALE, GUINNESS'S STOUT. NEUROTONE. Gentlemen's Outfitting Department :-SUMMER HOSIERY in SILK, LISLE THREAD, BALBRIGGAN, India GAUZE and COTTON. White WASHING GLOVES (thin).

SILBER SWING and STAND LAMPS. nearly opposite the Ko Shing Theatre in BILLIARD CUES, BILLIARD CLOTH, BALLS, TIPS, CEMENT, &c. New Shapes B BRIAR and MEERSCHAUM PIPES. HORSEY POUCHES, PIPE-CLEANERS. TOBACCO "BRISTOL BIRD'S EYE.".

COPE'S SMOKING MIXTURE, GOLDEN CLOUD and TURKEY. HAVANNA, MANILA and PENANG CIGARS and CIGARETTES. $NEW\ BOOKs:$ — NEW NOVELS. Spon's "Tables. "A Good Selection of ALBUMS for Ca "English Price Book," binets or Cartes de Visite.

Winsor & Newton's COLOURS. Tracing PAPER and CLOTH. English ACCOUNT BOOKS of all kinds

ATKINSON'S & HENDRIE'S PERFUMES. Eno's FRUIT SALT. LAMPLOUGH'S PYRETIC SALINE. PARISH'S SYRUP of PHOSPHATES

Hongkong, June 22, 1881.

Intimations.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION. In the Goods of JOAO JOSE DA SILVA E

NOTICE is hereby given that, in Accordance with the Provisions of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870, Section III., an Order has been given by the Honourable Francis Snowben, Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, limiting the time for Creditors and others to send in their CLAIMS against the abovenamed Estate, to the 26th return to Hongkong and remain perman-

day of August, 1881, on or before which ; date all Claims must be proved, otherwise they will not be included in the scheme of All Persons INDEBTED to the above-

named Estate are requested to make immediate Payment to C. F. A. SANGSTER,

D BRAND, OKB, ** and ***, in bottle, 1 dozen per case. Hongkong, June 25, 1881. LAFFITTE'S CELEBRATED DINNER and BREAKFAST CLARETS in pints and quarts. "RHAPSODIA," A BRAIN and NERVE

Tonic, in bottle. PRICES ON APPLICATION. Apply to

J. G. SMITH & Co. Hongkong, June 11, 1881.

FOR SALE. MOUSES, in WYNDHAM STREET, Nos. 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45 & 47, on Sections B & C of Inland Lor No.

51, belonging to the Portuguese Mission in For Particulars, apply to J. J. DOS REMEDIOS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, June 2, 1881, FOR SALE.

ULES MUMM CHAMPAGNE Quarts......\$16 per 1 doz. Case. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

To Let.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

TO LET. DOOMS in Club Chambers, suitable for 10 Offices or Chambers. The BUNGALOW, No. 2, SHELLEY

The DWELLING HOUSES-Nos. 5 & 6, ALEXANDRA TERRACE; Possession from 1st August next Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, June 18, 1881.

TO LET. ATO. 2, Old BASLEY STREET. And, No. 6, Peddae's Hills.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & COM Hongkong, May 30, 1881. ODOWNSTO LET Chins and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penang, and Manila PRAYA EAST AND WANCHAI ROAD.

For Particulars, apply to BIEMSSEN & Co. Hongking, January 21, 1881.

Mark's "Steam Engine." "Tredgold," by Hurst, "Architect's Pocket Book." Tyler's "Anthropology." Molesworth's "Engineering."

New GLASSWARE and CROCKERY.

SOUZA, Deceased.

Official Administrator.

In the Matter of the Estate of RAPHAEL ARCANJO DO ROZARIO, late of Hongkong, Deceased.

NIOTICE is hereby given that all Credi-N tors and other Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of RAPHAEL ARCANJO DO ROZARIO. who died at Victoria, in the Island o Hongkong, on the 26th day of March, 1881, and whose Will and Codicil were duly proved in the Supreme Court of Hongkong on the 9th day of June, 1881, by VALENTINE Antonio do Rozario and Marciano Antonio BAPTISTA, Executors named in the said Will both of Victoria, aforesaid, are hereby required to send in writing the Particulars of their CLAIMS OF DEMANDS to the said VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MAR-CIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA, at the address aforesaid, or to Messrs Brereton and Wor-TON, at their Office, 29, Queen's Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on or before the 13th day of August, 1881. And Notice is hereby also given that, at the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said VALENTINE AN-TONIO DO ROZARIO and MARCIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said RAPHAEL ARCANJO DO RO-ZARIO amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the Claims of which the said VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and LARCIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA, or the said Messrs Breneron and Worron, shall then have had notice; and that the said VALEN-TIME ANTONIO DO ROZARIO- and MARCIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA will not be liable for the Assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any Person of whose Claim the said VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MAR-CIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA had not had notice

at the time of the distribution. Dated this 13th day of June £1881. BRERETON & WOTTON, Solicitors, de.,

29, Queen's Road, Hongkong. AH.YON & Co., CHIP'S COMPRADORE, STEVEDORE, BALLASTER AND WATER SUPPLIER. Hongkong and Whampon, of the same Proprietors.

Keep or hand and for Sale, well assorted Dilman's Stores and Coal of all kinds. Shipping supplied at the shortest notice with all kinds of Bullast and fresh Provisions at moderate charges. F 59, WING HING STREET. Hongkong, June 15, 1881,

IN HE FAREAST THE ISSUES OF 1875 WARTED. Apply at this OFFICE. be had at this Office. -- Picce, \$1 each, Hungkong, October 4, 1880. CHINA MAIL Office.

Intimations. ELEVENTH DRAWING.

French and English JAMS. Loan of 1874. Roast MEATS and SOURS, 11b & 2th tins.

MOCHA COFFEE (L.C. & Co. 's celebrated). Potted MEATS and FISH. Russian CAVIARE. CORN FLOUR, OATMEAL, HOMINY. Patès de Foies Gras, Patè a Diable. SAUCES, SAUSAGES, SPICES, &c., &c.

Special "FRESH MILK" Eagle Brand.

GOOD BREAKFAST CLARET, \$3 per dozen. OUR CELEBRATED "R" PORT.

jy7 | SPARKLING SAUMUR. GINGER and COWSLIP WINES. SPARKLING SUMMER ALE. GERMAN BEER.

New White-L. C. SHIRTS. New Shapes in COLLARS, SCARFS, TIES, &c. FELT HATS in the Newest Colours and Shapes.

Special "THE NEW LOCK RIB UMBRELLA" in Brown and Green Twill Silk. PITH and STRAW HATS. BATHING DRAWERS BRUSHES of every Description. NUBLAN BLACKING and PEERLESS GLOSS.

CHAMOIS SKINS and POLISHING PASTE.

New SCRAPS and Drawing PAPER. Mathematical INSTRUMENTS.

LIEBIG'S EXTRACTS and INFANT'S FOOD. LAWN GRASS SEED.

Intimations.

NOTICE. TAR. EASTLAKE has returned from the Phillipines and will now RECEIVE PATIENTS at his Rooms, 50, Ougen's ROAD, over the Medical Half. Professional Services at Reduced Fees from this date.

Hongkong, June 20, 1881.

DENTAL NOTICE. TAR. ROGERS will be absent at SHANG HAL until July 1st, when he will

Hongkong, May 9, 1881.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 25th to the 30th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

J. BRADLEE SMITH, Secretary, 🟸 Hongkong, June 18, 1881.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COM PANY, LIMITED. HE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 25th Inst.

until the 2nd Proximo, both days inclusive. ___A. NEWTON, Manager, Hongkong, June 17, 1881.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COM-

PANY, LIMITED. REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF GAS.

TIROM the 1st Proximo and until further

Notice, the Charge per 1,000 feet will be \$3.50, instead of \$4 as heretofore. A. NEWTON,

Hongkong, June 21, 1881.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM. PANY, LIMITED.

DEBENTURE LOAN FOR \$300,000. COUPONS for INTEREST falling due on 30th June 4881 will be Paid on

Presentation, at the Office of the Honokone AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION Hongkong, on and after that Date. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, June 25, 1881.

WANTED. PORTUGUESE BOOKKEEPER for A one of the Coast Ports. Answers, stating qualifications, giving references and Salary expected, to be addressed at once to "A. B. C.," care of this

Hongkong, May 7, 1881.

WASHING-BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.) TASHERMAN'S BOOKS, to the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can T

Chinese Imperial Government

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in conformity with the stipulation conmined in the Bonds of this Loan, the following Numbers of Bonds to be paid off at Par in Hongkong on the 30th of June, and in London on the 19th of August next, whenthe Interest thereon will cease to be payable, were this day Drawn at the Offices of the Hongkong and Shanghat Banking Con-PORATION, 31 Lombard Street, London, in the presence of GEORGE HENRY BURNETT, Esq., Accountant of the said Corporation, and of the undersigned Notary.

NUMBERS OF BONDS DRAWN. 314 Bonds Nos :---5041

5082

5639

5730

5777

5926

6085

6260

47274753992

10492367 2394 3656 2428

4923 4953 3705 4968 5026

For £190 Sterling each, =£31,400. HONGKONG & SHANCHAI BANKING CORPORATION (Signed) GEO. H. BURNETT,

Countersigned, W. W. VENN, Junior, Notary Public. 2 Pope's Head Alley, Cornhill, E.C., London, 20th April, 1881.

IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT LOAN or 1874. current of the above LOAN together with the BONDS DRAWN for Redemption, will be Paid at the Office of

this Corporation on and after that Date. For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, Agents Issuing the Loan, T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager.

Hongkong, June 24, 1881. Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY, (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIEN. TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE)

The Co.'s Steamsnip
"Antenor,"
Captain Brage, will be despatched on or about The Co.'s Steamship the 2nd July. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

angkong, June 25, 1881.

日 一初月,年已辛 Shipping.

· Steamers."

SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW The Steamship Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 29th Inst, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, June 27, 1881. The Steamship "Esmeralda," Captain Talbor, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 1st July, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 27, 1881. FOR MANILA (DIRECT.)

The Spanish Steamer

 ^{lpha}S alvadora $_{lpha}^{lpha}$. Captain LARRINAGA, will have quick despatch. for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, June 21, 1881.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant ROLLAND, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, June 22, 1881. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant GUIRAND, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Europe. --G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, June 22, 1881. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship "Glaucus,"

Captain T. S. JACKSON, will be despatched on or about the 4th July. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, June 25, 1881. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. (Taking Cargo at through rates for NEW

YORK, HAMBURG and BREMEN.) The Steamship Captain A. TAYLOR, will be despatched as above on or about the 6th July.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, June 25, 1881. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Taking Cargo at through rates for ADE-LAIDE and all NEW ZEALAND PORTS. The Steamship

J. C. Jaques, Commdr., shortly due from Fooсноw, will receive prompt despatch as The Steamer has superior Cabin Accom-· For Freight or Passage, apply to

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, June 25, 1881. DIRECT COMMUNICATION BETWEEN HONGKONG AND AUSTRALIA.

FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. UPONS falling due 30th of (Taking through Cargo and Passengers through rates for ADELAIDE and all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.)

> The Steamship The Steamship
> "Meath,"
> J. Johnson, Commander,
> will be despatched as above on or about the 7th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, June 25, 1881.

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British Barque . "Java Packet," HANSEN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

HING KEE & Co. Hongkong, June 27, 1881. FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

For Freight, apply to

Hengkong, June 18, 1811.

J. T. WESENBERG, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Shipping.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The 5/6 A.1.1. American Bark G. W. Howes, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

ARNHOLE, KARBERG &. Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1881. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

For Freight, apply to

The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship
"C. F. Sargent,"

ATHERTON, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1881.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship McFee, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will "P. G. Carvill."

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1881.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American Ship " Highlander." B. Clouch, Master, will lood here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1881. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A 1 British Ship Rockhurst,"

BULFORD, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick-despatch.

For Freight, apply to . VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

FOR LONDON. The 3/3 L.1.1. Danish Bark The 3/3 L.1.1. Danish Dark
"Therese,"
HARTMANN, Master, will load
here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, June 13, 1881. FOR LONDON. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Bark
"Hermann,"

JEPSEN, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

FOR HONOLULU. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Bark " Hammonia." WELLER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to. VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Barque JAEGER, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, June 6, 1881. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark "Sarah S. Ridgway," Townsend, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

VOGEL & Co.

For Freight; apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1881.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Bark " Hansa." DENEKEN, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, May 16, 1881. FOR NEW YORK,

The A 1 American Bark
"Jonathan Chase," Jonathan Chase,"

Castigan, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

FOR NEW YORK. Henry A. Litch stera,
LANPHEH, Moster, will load for
the above Port, and will have The 3/3 A.1.1. American Bark

Hongkong, April 19, 1881.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, May 9, 1881.

FOR LONDON. IRVIN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will. The A 1 British Bark For Freight, apply to VOCEL & Co

Hongkong, April 19, 1881

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. TYAVE RECEIVED FOR SALE, Ex Recently arrived Mail and

other <u>Ste</u>amships. AMERICAN AND ENGLISH

GROCERIES, FRESH SUPPLIES RECEIVED BY EVE

Eastern and Californian CHEESE. Boneless CODFISH. Prime HAMS and BACON. Russian CAVIARE. -Eagle Brand Condensed MILK. PEACH, and APPLE BUTTER. Pickled OX-TONGUES. Family PIG-PORK in kegs and pieces. Paragon MACKEREL in 5 lb cans. Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 th cans.

Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 21 lb cans. Assorted Canned VEGETABLES. Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage

Stuffed PEPPERS. Assorted PICKLES. MINCEMEAT. COMB HONEY in Original Frames.

Richardson & Robbin's Celebrated Potted MEATS. Richardson & Robbin's Curried OYSTERS. Lunch TONGUE.

Asserted American SYRUPS, for Summer_Drinks,_ McCartin Sugar LEMONADE. Clam CHOWDER. Codinh BALLS. Green TURTLE in 21 to cans.

> **ALIFORNIA** RACKER JOMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 1

tins, and loose. Alphabetical B 1 S. Fancy Sweet Mixed BISCUITS · Ginger CAKES. Soda BISCUITS.

Cracked WHEAT. OATMEAL. HOMINY. "

> CORNMEAL. BUCKWHEAT FLOU RYE MEAL.

Oyster BISCUITS.

NEW BOOKS.-3,000 Numbers "Franklin Square" and "SEASIDE" LIBRARIES, including McCarthy's "History of Our Own Times," "Enbymion," and other recent Publications, from 15 cents to 25

cents each HERBERT SHENCER'S COMPLETE WORKS ON SYNTHETIC PHILOSOPHY. -IRVING'S COMPLETE WORKS. HAWTHORNE'S COMPLETE WORKS. EMERSON'S COMPLETE WORKS. PRESCOTT'S COMPLETE WORKS. EDGAR POE'S COMPLETE WORKS. WILLIAMS'S "MIDDLE KINGDOM." GRIFFIS'S "MIKADO'S EMPIRE." BANCROFT'S HISTORY OF THE UNITED

STATES. HARPER'S HALF HOUR SERIES. Medical WORKS. School BOOKS.

Presentation BOOKS. WORKS OF REFERENCE. ALBUMS of Music, with Words. ALBUMS of Pianoforte Pieces. Sheet MUSIC.

- Photo. ALBUMS, Etc., Etc. REVOLVING BOOK CASES.

STATIONERY. For Ladies, and Office use. OFFICE REQUISITES of every description.

SPECIALLY SELECTED

G

WINES, SPIRITS, BEER AND AERATED WATERS.

• Crosse & Blackwell's

JOHN MOIR & SON'S FAMOUS HOUSEHOLD STORES.

TEYSSONEAU'S DESSERT FRUITS. SAVOURY PATE. GAME PATE. PORK PATE. OX PALATES.

HUNG (Hambro') BEEF. TRIPE. FRUITS for Ices. SHERBET.

· COCOATINA. VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA: Epps's COCOA. Robinson's Groats. GELATINE.

Russia OX-TONGUES. French PLUMS. PATE DE FOIE GRAS. SARDINES. Ham TONGUE and

MACCARONI. VERMICELLI. SAUSAGES. MEATS.

SOUPS, &c., &c. SHIPCHANDLERY of every Description. RIGGING and SAIL-MAKING promptly executed. Hongkong, June 20, 1881.

Mails.

U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY

THROUGH TO NEW YORK; VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF TOKIO will be despatched for Sun Francisco, via Yokohama, on WEDNES-DAY, the 20th June, 1881, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-

portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 2 p.m., the 28th June. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m., same day, all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For fifther information as to Passage hand Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Col, Agents. Hongkong, June 20, 1881. NOTICE:

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA POINT DE GALLE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES:

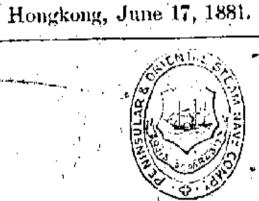
1881; at Noon, the Company's S. S. SINDH; Commandant Lequerre, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, English Mail's departure, and is a reand CARGO, will leave this Port for the cord of each fortnight's current history

cepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until 4

to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Company's Office.



STEAM, FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLÉ, ADEN, SUEZ. PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, Case o BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE,

SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA. N.B.—Cargo van be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN PORTS, MARSEILLES TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK

AND BOSTON. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship NEPAUL, Captain J. S. MURRAY, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON direct, vid SUEZ CANAL and usual Ports of, Call, THURSDAY, the 7th July, at 4 p.m. Cargo will be received on board until

10 a.m. on the day of departure. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 10 a.m. on the day of departure. For further Particulars, regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages at

required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, June 25, 1881.

Insurances.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks upon First Class Buildings and/or their Contents at 4 % net per annum, and other Insurances at Proportionate Rates. Shareholders are reminded that under Section No. 110 of the Articles. of the Association the General Managers. with the sanction of the Consulting Committee, are empowered to declare an Annual Bonus amongst such Shareholders as shall have either directly, or through their agency or intervention, contributed busi-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, May 10, 1881.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Chicken SAUSAGE. TOOLICIES GRANTED at current rates on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two-thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not. in proportion to the net amount of Premis contributed by each, the recording third being carried to Reserve Funds J. BRADLEE SMITH,

> Secretary. . . . Hongkong, April 6, 1881.

Insurances.

PRUSSIAN NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY, OF STETTIN.

TITHE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to Grant Insurances against FIRE at Current Rates. MEYER & Co.,

Hongkong, May 10, 1881, THAMES AND MERSEY MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-1, ROYAL EXCHANGE Buildings. London.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS in HONGKONG and CHINA for the above Company are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual Discounts. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 3, 1881.

LE CERCLE-TRANSPORTS. SOCIETÉ ANONYME D'ASSURANCES MARITIMES, MARSEILLE.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, ... 15,000,000 Francs. CAPITAL PAID-UP, 3,750,000

TITHE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS of the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies on MARINE je29 RISKS to all ports of the World. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, Sept. 25, 1880. Intimations.

NEWS FOR HOME.

The Overland China Mail. (The oldest Overland Paper in China.) PUBLISHED AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE

BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely-

IN TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

ON THURSDAY, the 30th day of June, | THIS Mail Summary is compiled from the Daily China Mail, is published twice a month on the morning of the events in China and Japan, con-Cargo and Specie will be registered for tributed in original reports and collated London as well as for Marseilles, and ac- from the journals published at the various ports in those Countries.

It contains Shipping news from Shanghai, Shipping Orders will be granted until Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete Commercial Summary. Subscription, 50 cents per Copy (postage p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on paid 52 cents) \$12 per amum (postage the 29th of June, 1881. (Parcels are not

Orders should be sent to GEO. MURRAY Bain, Phina Mail Office, 2, Wyndham Street, not later than noon of the day the English Mail Steamer leaves. Terms of Advertising, same as in Daily China Mail.

NOW READY.

COMPLETE REPRINT, in Pamphlet The Form, of the proceedings in the RECENT LIBEL CASE of

REGINA V. PITMAN. containing the whole of the Proceedings at the Police Court, full report of the trial in Criminal Sessions, with connected Correspondence and comments of the Press. To which is now added a Report of the

PITMAN V. KESWICK

Price per Copy, - - - 50. CENTS. . Orders are now being booked. China Mail Office, Hongkong, April 13, 1881.

THE SAFEST AND ONLY RELIABLE PREPARATION OF PHOSPHORUS, T.R. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE. Best known remedy for Nervousness, Indigestion, Liver Complaints, and all Functional Derangements; extensively used in

the Army and Navy, and highly recommended by the Medical Faculty. T.R. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE.-Only reliable Remedy for Weak and Shattered Constitutions, Nervous Debility, Depression, Lassitude, Pimples, Impoverished Blood, premature Decline; thorough-

ly re-establishes general bodily health. R. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE.-Prepared on a new principle whereby all possible risk is entirely prevented. Avoid Phosphorus Pills, Lozenges etc., as they frequently contain Solid Particles of Phos-

phorus, which accumulate in the system, producing Necrosis and other serious evils. TAR. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE.-Zor Beware of worthless Imitations. Being prepared from Obsolete Formulas they are absolutely unreliable and in some cases positively dangerous.

R. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE. Sold by all Chemists throughout the Refuse Useless substitutes.

Agents: -WATSON & Co., Hongkong Dis-WATSON, CLEAVE & Co., Shanghai Pharmacy. 21my81

ENTERICON gives Immediate Relief to Indigestion, Lowness of Spirits, Wind in the Stomach, Giddiness, Palpitation of the Heart, &c. ENTERICON gives Speedy Relief and a Permanent Cure in Nervous Debility, Sper-

matorrhoea, Wasting Dreams, ENTERICON is the only Infallible Remedy for Liver Complaints, Poorness of Blood, Loss of Appetite, Want of Vitality, Mental Depression, &c. ENTERICON is warranted not to contain in any form, Mercury, Opium, Ether, Arsenic, Strychnine, or any deleterious

Drug whatever.

Sold by all Wholesals and Retail Druggists throughout the Civilized World. Sold in China by :--WATSON & Co., Hongkong Dispensary. WATSON, CLEAVE & Co., Shanghai.

Mr. Andrew Wind, NEWS AGENT. &C.

133, NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK; is authorized to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for the China Mail, Overland China Mail; and China Review.

Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "NIIGATA MARU," FROM KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are heroby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from Wharf and/or Godown. Cargo remaining in Godown after Fra pay, the 1st July, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected. H. J. H. TRIPP.

Mitsu Bishi Mail S.-S. Co. Hongkong, June 23, 1881.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. ITHE Steamship Glenearn having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium-are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob-

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 1 p.m. To-DAY, the 22nd June. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, June 22, 1881.

Not Responsible for Debts. A Tenther the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for my Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-Anna, German barque, Captain J. B. Davidsen. - Wieler & Co.

Anna Camp, American ship, Captain J. A. Gardner. Borneo Co., Limited. C. D. BRYANT, American barque, Capt. Wm. M. Pane.—Eduard Schellhass & Co. C. F. SARGENT, American ship, Captain D. H. Atherton.—Captain.

GREAT SURGEON, American barque, Capt H. P. Arbecam.—Eduard Schellhass & Co. H. H. McGilvery, American ship, Capt. Wm. Y. Ford.—Order. JONATHAN CHASE, Amer. barque, Capt

H. R. Costigan, -Siemssen & Co. Louisa, Germ. 3-masted schooner, Capt. N. Schierloh.—Eduard Schellhass & Co. MINERVA, German brig, Captain P. Duhme.—Melchers & Co. QUEEN OF ENGLAND, Siamese ship, Capt S. M. Otten.—Chinese.

SIR JOHN LAWRENCE, British ship, Capt. J. A. Best. - Messageries Maritimes. THORNHILL, British steamer, Capt. Thos. Walker.-Meyer & Co. TIBER, British barque, Captain J.

Rennie.—Captain. WILNA, American ship, Captain J. E. Lombard.—Order. XENIA, American barque, Captain N. E. Reynolds.—Rozario & Co.

take pleasure in announcing that they will give a Second ENTERTAINMENT in Honokong,

TO-MORROW EVENING. the 20th June, THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL,

ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAMME will be given. Prices and Tickets as before announced.

Hongkong, June 28, 1881. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW The Steamship

"Kwangtung,"
Captain Young, will be
despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 3rd July, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to . DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, June 28, 1881.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO. The Steamship

" Merionethshire." "Merionethshire,"
RICKARD, Commander,
expected here on or about the 3rd Proximo, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.



COMPANY. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE AND INLAND, SEA.

TIME S. S. TAKASAGO MARU, Capt. Young, due here on or about the 4th July, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 9th July, at Day-

Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 6 p.m. of 8th July. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they Colonies, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and will not be recognized. Gibraltar. RATES OF PASSAGE.

, Yоконама & Nagasaki.. 75 SHANGHAI VIB YOKOHAMA, ... 120 ,, Ковк..... 95 A REDUCTION is made on RETURN CABIN PASSAGES. CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagagain will be transhipped to the Shambai Mail

For further Particulars, apply at the Company's OFFICES PRAYA CENTRAL, West Corner Pottinger Street H. J. H. TRIPP, Hongkong, June 28, 1881.

Steamer at Kobe.

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS. June 28 Roderick Hay, British barque, 290, P. H. Nicolson, Bangkok June 13, General. -Turneu & Co.

June 28, Amoy, British steamer, from June 28, Atalanta, German steamer, from

June 28, Kwangtung, British steamer, 674, Young, Foochow June 24, Amoy 26, and Swatow 27, General.—Douglas La-

June 28, Chop-chang, Chinese gunboat, from a cruise. June 28, Horseguards, British steamer, 910, Hill, Singapore via Saigon June 24, General. -Bun Hin Chan.

DEPARTURES.

June 28, Ping-on, for Hoihow, &c. 28, Atholi, for Singapore, &c. 28, Queen of England, for Bangkok. ·28, Harter, for Shanghai. 28, Wycliffe, for Newchwang. 28, Enwy, for Amoy and Manila.

- CLEARED. Hermine, for Kelung. Hausa, for London. May, for Wellington (N.Z.) C. D. Bruant for Hoile. H. A. Litchfield, for New York. Thales, for Coast Ports. Minerza, for Quinhon.

Atalanta, for Chinking.

pean, and 200 Chinese.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Roderick Hay, from Barrekok, 5 Chi-

Per Kwangtung, from Coast Ports, 52 Per Horseguerds, from Singapore via Saigon, 329 Chinese. DEPARTED.

Per Atholl, for Singapore, &c., 535 Chi-Per Emrey, for Amoy, 75 Chinese. To DEPART.

Per Thales, for Coast Ports, 1 Euro-

Per Ping-on, for Hoihow, &c., 15 Chi-

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Kwangtung reports: Foochow to Amoy, moderate S.W. breeze and fine; Amoy to Swatow, first part moderate S.W. breeze and fine, afterwards variable winds and showery; Swatow to Hongkong, first part variable winds and showery, then moderate southerly breeze and cloudy. At 5.40 a.m., passed S. S. Welle bound North. In Foochow: S. S. Bengloe, Canton, and Hungarian. In Amoy: S. S. Namoa, and Oxfordshire left same day. In Swatow: S. S. Flintshire, Tientsin, Larch, Oaklands, Tunis, El Dorado, and

Chin Tung. The British steamer Horsequards reports E.S.E. to E.N.E. winds, first part heavy rain; latter fresh breeze and slight N. E

CARGOES.

Per S. S. Ravenna, sailed 23rd June :-To London: from Canton and Macao, 13,209 boxes Tea (containing 71,978 fbs. Congou, 149,583 tbs. Scented Caper, and 55,311 tbs. THE MATTIE TAYLOR TROUPE Scented Orange Pekoe-total 276,872 lbs. Tea); from Canton, 75 bales Waste Silk, 90 bales Punjum Silk, and 13 cases Silk Piece Goods; from Shanghai, 202 boxes. 20,650 half-chests and 54 pkgs. Tea (particulars unknown), 141 bales Raw Silk, 93 bales Waste Silk, and 12 cases Silk Piece Goods; from Yokohama, 8 bales Raw Silk. _To Continent: from Canton, 400 pkgs. Tea (particulars unknown), and 17 cases Silk Piece Goods; from Shanghai, 20 bales Raw Silk : from Yokohama, 25 bales Raw

Silk, and 13 bales Waste Silk. Per S. S. Glenfinlas, from Canton Waters to London, sailed 25th June: -99,157 ibs Congou, 35,175 fbs. Scented Caper, and 63,046 Hbs. Scented Orange Pekoe-total

197,378 lbs. Tea. POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW. Per Thales, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 29th inst., instead of as pre- Saghalien left Saigon for Hongkong to-day viously notified.

the 1st July. the 2nd July.

For MANILA.-

For KOBE AND YOKOHAMA .--Per Takasago Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 8th July. FOR NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA.-

Per Malacca, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 8th July. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City NESDAY, the 29th inst., with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, etc.,

which will be closed as follows :-2.15 P.M. Registry ceases. 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Letters for Union Countries may be posted on board, the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time

Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies cannot be sent by this route. Hongkong, June 20, 1881.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .--The French Contract Packet Sindh will be despatched on THURSDAY, THE Mattie Taylor Troupe performed in the 30th June, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom Europe, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (via Madras), the Australasian

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. -the 7th July, with Mails to and

N.B.—This Packet corres no mails for the jyll Autralian Colonies.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW

Shipping. Noon. - Thales leaves for Coast Ports. 3 p.m.—American Mail leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco. Goods per Glenearn undelivered after this

· date subject to rent. Amusements. 9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall.

General Memoranda. THURSDAY, June 30:-Noon.—French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Coupons of Chinese Loan payable. Coupons of China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., payable at H.K. & S'hai Bank.

RIDAY, July 1:-4 p.m.—Esmeralda leaves for Manila. Goods per Niigata Maru undelivered after this date subject to rent.

SATURDAY, July 2:-9 p.m.—Meeting of Zetland Lodge. SUNDAY, July 3:-Daylight. - Kwangtung leaves for Coast Ports.

Monday, July 4:-Building Ground, Queen's Road West. healthy kind or not remains to be seen. THURSDAY, July 7:—

SATURDAY, July 9:-Daylight.-Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for

Yokohama, &c.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY Established A.D. 1841.

香港大藥房 A. S. WATSON & Co.. FAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS WHOLEBALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS, IMPORTERS

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, NURSERY REQUI SITES, TOILET REQUISITES, ENGLISH, AMERICAN, AND FRENCH PATENT MEDICINES.

. MANUFACTURERS

Soda Water, Lemonade, Tonic Water, Gingerade, Potass Water, Sarsaparilla Water, and other Acrated Waters. Zer The Manufactory is under direct and continuous European Supervision.

Hongkong, June 1, 1876. PASSENGERS arriving in Hongkong, or any other persons who may desire to consult the files of local. China, Japan, American, English, Indian or Australian newspapers, are invited to call at the "CHINA MAIL" Office, where over sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies, from these countries, are now filed for

reference. 🕛 The publication of this issue commenced

at 7.10 p.m. The China Itlail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 1881.

LOCAL AND GENERAL. WE learn that "Innisfallen," the bungalow at the Gap built for Mr Brereton, was sold yesterday for the sum of \$12,700.

panied by his wife, by the next French THE Agents of the Union Line of steamships (Messrs Russell & Co.) inform us that

THE Australian papers report a comet seen from the capitals of the various colonies on the 31st ult. and 1st inst. -no doubt that which has just been noticed here.

Singapore for this port to-day.

Per Esmeralda, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, THE inquest opened on the body of a Chinese child on Saturday last, as previously For SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW .- reported, was concluded yesterday afteris already in Macao. Per Kwangtung, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, noon by the return of a verdict of "Found dead, whether from exposure or otherwise

there is no sufficient evidence to show."

On Tuesday, the 5th proximo, a meeting of the Justices of the Peace will be held the Justices' Room, to consider the application of Mr Hahn, for a Spirit License for the "Hotel do Belle-Vue and Kowloon Recreation Ground," on Garden Lot No. Tokio, will be despatched on WED- 35, situate at Tsim-sha-tsui, British Kow-

> shal Soult, Duke of Dalmatia, the opponent WE have to acknowledge receipt of a copy of Dr Geo. Birkbeck Hill's work, "Colonel Gordon in Central Africa, 1874-1879," published by Messra Thos. De la Rue & Co. A fairly good portrait of the gallant Colonel sador-extraordinary to represent the French prefaces the title of the book, which would be a really good likeness were it not that the expression given is not that embodiment of gentleness and womanliness which peculiarly belongs to the original. The book shall be noticed by and by.

the Theatre Royal last night to a small audience. The only feature in the entertainment is "Mattie," who is one of the cleverest little artistes we have seen for many a long day. She is pretty, taking, intelligent, talented and remarkably well trained. She sings, plays the banjo and the drum, dances, and does a dozen character sketches and s. hundred little things to The British Contract Packet Wepter prove her ability and so amuse and delight will be despatched on THURSDAY, the audience. Mr Taylor's imitation of the through the United Kingdom and bells on the two banjoes played at the same Europe vid Brindisi; to the Straits time and afterwards of some well-known Settlements, Batavia, Burmali, Ceylon, airs played under the same novel conditions, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib- airs played under the same novel conditions, raltar. This is the best opportunity were unique and welcome features of the for forwarding Correspondence to Manevening's entertainment. The Company give another performance on Wednesday

WE hear upon very good authority that the new Sugar Factory, to be erected upon the ground recently purchased at Bowrington for \$10,025, is to be a private partnership ... concern, and will be composed almost exclusively of Chinese. It is said the promoters are confident of success; and as the establishment of a sugar refinery is not piece of child's-play, we suppose there is room for the further extension of this branch of the local industry. There is some mystery hanging round a certain land sale in Quarry Bay, which is fixed for the 6th of July; and it is whispered that the piece of ground in question is intended for some description of sugar works. Much activity appears to characterise the enterprise of local capitalists at present; and what with projected tramways, telephones, electric lights, sugar and soy works, and salt and match schemes, the commercial spirit of the Colony is likely to obtain sufficient exercise during the next

The Chinaman who represented the party to whom the monopoly was knocked down was on Saturday afternoon arrested, the promised deposit, for 'the deliverance of which time had been twice extended, not second upsetting of the monopoly: The prison, and Mr John Pitman whose cheque for \$10,000 is at stake. That scheme is for 4. a syndicate, which "the great foreigner" has beaten up, to make an offer to the Government to take over the Farm at the price for which it was purchased at the auction, the Chinese scapegoat being then sent about his business. and Mr Pitman's \$10,000 being then refunded to him. If they are able to make this arrangement the Government may be fairly glad that they have got well out of the dire difficulty that at one time seemed to stare them stolidly in the face. A few days more must produce developments one way or another which will put an end to public speculation on the question which has so stirred administrative life in Macao to its very centre within the past few days. We are informed that the mind of the community of the Holy City on Saturday evening and Sunday last was very much more excited over the result of the lottery embroglio, and the fate of the unfortunate Chinaman who had been placed under arrest through it, than that usually calm and contented mind should have been at such a solemp time. Mr Pitman, we hear, has proceeded to Macao to-day to endeavour to bring things to a point; and it is stated that the money required for the full deposit

To-DAY being "Coronation Day," as it is generally called, the Government offices, and the naval and military departments have held it as a holiday. The Royal Standard has been flown at the usual quarters, and a Royal Salute was fired at noon. On this day, 1838, Queen Victoria was crowned at Westminster, and the following scrap from a record of the proceeding may be read with interest to-night :--At the coronation procession one of the

most conspicuous figures was that of Mar-

of Moore and Wellington in the Peninsula, the commander of the Old Guard at Lützen, and one of the strong arms of Napoleon at Waterloo. Soult had been sent as ambas-Government and people at the coronation of Queen Victoria, and nothing could exceed the enthusiasm with which he was received by the crowds in the streets of London on that day. The white-haired soldier was cheered wherever a glimpse of his face or figure could be caught. He appeared in the procession in a carriage, the frame of which had been used on occasions of state by some of the princes of the House of Conde, and which Soult had had splendidly decorated for the ceremony of the coronation. Even the Austrian ambassador, and an eyewithess, attracted less attention than Soult, although the dress of the Austrian. Prince Esterhazy, "down to his very hoos heels sparkled with diamonds." The parison savors now of the ridiculeus, but remarkably expressive and effective. Princ Esterheave name in those days suggested nothing but diamunds. His diamonds may be said to glitter through all the light literature of the time. When Lady Mary Workley Montagu wanted a competiton which to illustrate excessive splendour and brightness, she found it in "Mr Pitt's diamonds." Prince Esterhazy's served the pune purpose for the writers of the early years of the present reign. It was, therefore, perhaps, no very poor tribute to the stout old moustache of the Republic and the Empire to say that at a Louidon pagealing Prince Esternasy's diamonds Soult him self feit vary farmly the genuine kindness

4 p.m.—Auction of The Very Valuable | year or two. Whether that will be of a 4 p.m.—English Mail leaves for Ports of THE latest news from Macao as to the Wei-Sing lettery fiasco advances affairs a stage.

having been forthcoming. There are now the usual three courses open to the Government. The one most natural, perhaps, if the bargain at the higher agure was declared "off," would be to let the penultimate bidder take the farm. Some suggestion of this course was made, we believe, but, "Chico de Wai-sing" (the old farmer) did not seem to see it in the same light. The second course would be to put the monopoly up again to public auction. This, for two or three reasons would, it is considered, be very impolitic. In the first place, it would in all probability lead to a huge sacrifice of revenue as between what was then really secured and what was secured in posse by the previous sale, the result of which has been telegraphed to Lisbon by this time with much jubilation. The Chinese contractor now detained, virtually in gaol, could then be sued for the difference between the price he had contracted for and the price fetched at the third way out of the difficulty is that which in all probability will be adopted and is one which relieves the Government the unhappy gentleman now languishing in THE Russian Admiral goes home, accomthe steamer Metapedia, from London, leaves WE are informed by the agents of the Messageries Maritimes Company that the S. S.

the reception given to him. Years after onestated above. Among those who took part a debate in the French Chamber, when in the protracted investigation and argu-Soult !'-they cried 'Soult for ever !' I had | its sittings, another volume of the "Ency-· learned to estimate the English on the field | clopædia Britannica " appeared, containing of battle; I have learned to estimate them | an article by Professor Smith on "Hebrow, in peace; and I repeat that I am a warm in which the writer repeated views very partisan of the English alliance." History similar to those expressed in the first is not exclusively made by tabinets and article. At the next sitting of the Commisprofessional diplomatists. It is highly problision, which meets quarterly, between the ple that the cheers of a London crowd on meetings of the General Assembly, the The day of the Queen's coronation did some- | matter was brought up and eventually thing genuine and substantial to restore the | referred to the Assembly. That body met good feeling between this country and labout a fortnight previous to the date of France, and efface the bitter memories of this telegram, and apparently decided to remove Professor Smith from the professo-Waterloo.

Madrashasopened its Bank Clearing-House, for the creation of which the Directors of the Bank of Madras deserve the credit.

THE Australian papers bring detailed news of the horrible steamboat accident on the Thames, Canada, on the Queen's birthday, resulting in loss of life equal to something Saturday, over 250 persons. The Victoria, one of the large excursion-trip steamers that go out crammed was easingers on such a day, capsized, to appearance through the overcrowding, and "comparatively few," we are told, saved themselves. It requires no stretch of imagination to understand how thick a cloud of lamentation and mourning an accident like this would cast over the

Sydney Morning Herald, writing from his given to the abating of many nuisances that head-quarters, May 23, to his journal,

I had an introduction to Mrs Henderson. the wife of the reputed owner of the Excet. the other day. She is a curiously engrossing person, whom you would be puzzled. how to estimate either as to looks or disposition. In any case, she possesses an exceptional interest, even apart from the circumstance that she is the wife of Henderson. She is what your current young man would term exceedingly "jolly," overflows with miscellaneous, if somewhat erratic, small talk; tells anecdotes not ill, sings not badly, and quotes poetry. think, therefore, she must have been a very lively companion to her husband. She quite confident of his speedy liberation, and her only regret appears to be that he was so unwise as to put into the port of Melbourne at all.

TELEGRAM from Berlin in the Australians papers to hand yesterday states that on the 30th May, Prince Bismarck, the Imperial Chancellor, submitted to the Reichstag a Inemorial, extensively signed by the leading merchants of Hamburg and other ports, on the subject of the extension of the German trade with the Australian colonies. The memorial urged the Government to sub-"sidise a line or lines of steamers to run direct from Germany to the Australian ports, or otherwise to maintain or extend the existing business relations with the colonies. A number of suggestions are made in the memorial for the attainment of the objects in view.

WE have to acknowledge receipt, from Mes celly and Co., Yokohama, of the 'second volume of the late J. R. Black's "Young Japan," which we shall notice more fully later on. A melancholy interest surrounds the latter part of this book. Writing of the open Rebellion, 1877, the

This was the commencement of the open Prebellion; Saigo was strongly urged no longer to remain quiet; and the ringleaders were so unmistakably determined now to bring matters to a crisis and to run all risks. that it was hopeless attempting to resist them any longer.

Whether there ever was such an order issued as that asserted to have been given for the assassination of Saigo can never be A full confession was made-

This was the last word of this work Mr Black ever penned; death snatched him away before he had concluded the book on which has heart had been so long set. Editors insert the following note:---

[Here the author's manuscript ceases. On June 11, 1880, Mr Black died suddenly. sand as he was approaching the most moto supreme power,—the Satsuma Robellion. seems a sensible and far-enough-seeing man. The official administrator of MrBlack's estate | put plainly what lie means, -that any and has deemed it adesable to present "Young every thing said in Council, (or elsewhere Japan" to the putting in its unfinished form; for that matter), by the Governor, or any believing that the work as it now stands of his underling officials, which is so far will be preferred to a continuation written beneath contempt, so absurd, or so often · by others, of whom few are to be found | already disproved that no hon, member, holding opinions upon the action of the Go- nor any decentman thinksit worth his while vernment of Japan, and the causes which to argue about it, is unmitigatedly untrue prompted the insurrectionary movement of I don't know whether that is or is not pre-Saigo Takamori, in accord with the views | cisely what your correspondent desired taken by the deceased author. To render say; but if he had said that, I believe he the second volume more complete, a chro- would not have been far from the truth. gical narrative of the principal events of the year 1877 is added; but "Young ' is presented to the public as the sole

work of the late Mr Black. A London telegram dated June 1, contained in the files received yesterday by the steamship Brisbane from Australia gives the information that Professor W. Robertson Smith had been removed by the Presbyterian General Assembly from his position as Professor of Hebrew Biblical Literature at Aberdeen College, in connection with the Free Church of Scotland by a majority of 363 votes against him, 127 members pro- treated by the mate, and said the Consul testing against his removal. A public would pay no attention to his complaint. breakfast had since been given linn, at He would not go back with the ship. which three hundred were present. It was proposed to present him with a testimonial. The charges preferred against Professor to hurt him. Robertson Smith have created more interest than perhaps any other theological impeachment during the present century, owing to the distinguished character of the professor. the difficult position in which his judges were placed, and the intense feeling created (Before H. E. Wodehouse, Esq., Police among his friends and opponents. About four years ago Professor Smith, who is one of the most noted authorities of the day on the aubject of Hebrew literature, was engaged to write an article on "The Bible for the "Encyclopædia Britannica." In that the questioned the historical accuracy of Deuteronomy, and the authen- three days' imprisonment with hard labour. ficity of the book which has hitherto been ascribed to Moses. Professor Smith was elinrged before the Assemby last year

with having, among other things, acted | of A. M'Kane P. C. 11, of this offence, and contrary to the Westminster Confession fined \$1 or three days imprisonment with costing doubts on the received tra- hard labour. to the authorship of the Peuta-There were no less than twenty-four | * CALLING OUT AND ILLEGAL HAWKING. preferred against the professor, but Ng Akan was fined 50 cents or two days attendants, coolies, horses, chairs away out power in these days of progress.—N. C. D.

I. Guizot was accused of too much partiality ments were Sir Henry Moncrieff and Prin- coverlet. Complainant had gone to bleep they went in double-quick time. for the English alliance, Marshal Soult de- cipal' Rainy, and the course which the in the street, and in the morning was clared himself a warm champion of that alli- former urged the General Assembly to awakened by feeling some questiling the ance. "I fought the English down to Tou- adopt was to permit Professor Smith to quilt off him. He saw defendant running rise from their knees and come out together louse," he said, "when I fired the last cannon in defence of the national independence; to remove him from his position as professor. Ultimately captured by a Chinese Constable. behold! not a horse, chair or attendant is in the meantime I have been in London, and This proposition was negatived in June of He was sentenced to two months in gaol anywhere to be seen. "Where is may France knows the recortion which I had last year by 290 to 292 votes. Shortly with hard labour. The English themselves cried 'Vive after the General Assembly had concluded

> rial chair. Museum for the week ending June 26th

Euronean.Grand total, 2,731.

CORRESPONDENCE.

POLICE DUTIES. To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL." 28th June.

Sir, --- While endorsing the opinion gene- wounded. rally expressed as to the efficiency of our Police, and that the diminution of crime the parties quarrelling and noticed the THE Melbourne correspondent of the that their attention has not properly been the man's side. annoyance so often complained of caused Sessions. She was removed to gaol screamby chairs and jirickshaws, boatpeople, the ing loudly, and this she kept up for a conhost of beggars and loafers that infest our siderable time. streets; the disturbances and noise that are kept up in different localities up to small. hours of the night; and the numerous gam-1 The licenced publicans and boarding-house until 2nd July. keepers, who pay heavy taxes for the privilege of retailing liquors and are so strictly that, whilst they are restricted as to time and locality, the immates of certain-houses of ill-fame in Elgin and Gage Streets are permitted to make large profits out of the wine which they serve out at all times without hindrance or restriction. Such ille-

> HOW MANY PRISONERS ! To the Editor of the China Mail."

to by the Police.

Sir, - Can you tell me whether or not it is true, that Mr Tonnochy had under his care, not many days ago, no less than 700 prisoners in Victoria Gaol? If such be the case, one can more fully understand the clumsy manner in which the Gaol Superinby Mr F. B. Johnson at the last meeting of Council.

PAUL PRY. keeping not many days since, and have reason to believe that the information is correct. No one who studies the matter can be surprised at the attitude assumed by

H. E. the Governor and the Gaol Superinunnatural, and must end in dire confusion. $-\mathbf{E}\mathbf{p},\ C,\ M.$ "WHAT IS TEREWITH?" To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL." Hongkong, June 28.

Sir,-Really one of the primest things I years, is a sentence in a letter, signed which appeared in your last issue, to wit,— "Anything said in Council which is uncontradicted officially is ant to carry weight and to be accepted as correct." laughed over it till my sides nche. "sarkasm" is grand and complete. to prevent confusion, I would submit that you should have had a footnote, or a "N.B." or a parenthetical explanation or something straight between the eyes, would be calcourse, Sir, you understand your own busithat double-distilled patent, concentrated, entous event in the domestic history of homeopathic, way of wrapping-up facts. since the restoration of the Mikado | Why don't your correspondent. " N." who

Marine Magistrates' Court. (Before Captain Thomsett, R.N.) Tuesday, June 28.

disobeying orders on the 25th instant. Captain Ford, master of the ship said that on Friday and Saturday last the de-

fendant had refused to obey orders.

hard labour at the order of the Captain.

Police Intelligence. Mugistrate.) Tuesday, June 28. FIGHTING IN THE STREETS.

Three Chinamen, charged with fighting in the street, were convicted on the evid-

MOORING IÑ SHORE.

they were narrowed down to the in good with hard labour for this offence.

ASSAULT AND ATTEMPTED RESCUE. Manuel Ajolonia was charged with cutting and wounding one Wong Afun, and Francisco Sazario, with assault and attemptng to rescue the first defendant, on the 27th inst. Both prisoners were remanded until Thursday the 30th inst., at noon,

(Before the How: M. S. Townochy).

CUTTING AND WOUNDING.

Chan KwaiChai (a married woman), whose case has been remainded several times, was again before the Court to-day, charged with cutting and vounding a marine hawker. Mr B. M. Blennerhasset, surgeon in the Army, and Acting Superintendant of the Government Civil Hospital, said that on the 2nd of the month the complainant was brought to the Civil Hospital. He was suffering from a punctured wound in the abdomen from which the intestines were protruding. The wound might have been inflicted with a knife with a sharp point. It was a dangerous one from the consequences which might have followed. He had another wound on the left hip. was not dangerous. Complainant was 'in Hospital for fifteen days, and was in an almost insensible state for two days. Defendant was brought to the Hospital at the same time as the complainant. She had a fresh cut on her left fore-finger. It mus have been done, witness thought, by some one standing on the right side of the hand Tse Anik gave evidence as to having seer

is mainly due to their vigilance, still I find wound on the woman's finger, and that on The defendant having been only cautioned | years come within their scope. For instance, the was committed for trial at the Criminal

THEFT OF A CLOCK. Lum Akwai and Tsoi Beung, who were enced at Foochow and Tamsui. bling liouses of every kind that are literally previously before the Court charged with Of the shock of earthquake which was rampant in Hongkong,—these should be stealing a clock, and also on a second charge felt here on the 17th instant we have the out down. Again, are our detectives and of receiving stolen goods, were again before following account of it from a gentleman at Inspectors of brothels doing their duty! the Court to-day, and further remanded Tamsui

Chan Alio, a Chinese woman, charged watched, might with some reason complain with stealing \$56, one silver watch and 47th, was before the Court to-day. Evidence was led at great length, but merely give the result of the case. The defendant was ultimately discharged,

had given similar evidence, were ordered to enter into recognisances each of two sureties of \$100 each to be of good beliaviour for in Amoy during the past fortnight : twelve months; in default to be committed.

Canton

Have you heard of our new Nam Hoi Magistrate! If you will excuse the slang he may be described as a "brick," a verittendent declined to answer the question put | able brick. Never has there been such an official in Canton before. In the sphere of mandarindom this squire Ts'û is an anomaly. [We have ourselves heard that this was Not a monstrosity, mark you, but a very he number of prisoners in Mr Tonnochy's | rare choice specimen almost extinct in this corrupt empire, of a brave, impartial, wise and good Magistrate, --- more like a selection from our own hands than a productionof this soil. It is very refreshing however to see this single instance of a mere District tendent. It is certainly desperate, but not | Magistrate breaking through the corrupt, and rigid barriers of official environment and attaining a character head and shoulders above any of his contemporaries. That he will survive long I very much doulge fourth of what we hear is true, he is a very mightn't know it was a joke, you know! Of about him which I have heard told by at is a measure equal to ten ton, and is supposed

responsibility he must on principle object quantity than was declared at the place of to all such irregularities. There was no shipment, when the measurement of a ton of interference that day. Nothing must be peas is taken for granted to represent 300 done rashly. He consults with his brother catties in weight. This is not, we understand, William Johnson, a seaman on board the magistrate of the Pun-u, who thinks any the point in dispute, but it is alluded to for Harriet H. M'Gilvery, was charged with man a madman that attempts to reform the sake of asking why, under the circumsuch a long-standing abuse. But Ts'ii is a stances, such produce as beancake and peas marches off to the Treasurer's Yamun Swatow. We presume the Commissioner and lay the foundation of the future activity late Intercologial Conference. He also said \$ 29, John R. Worcester to feel the way before shaping his desires to receive the half duty on the stuff. and wealth of their own country. Exclaimic that it was desired to amend the constitu-Defendant alleged that he had been ill- course. "What is the character of the Is it not sufficient to simply calculate the Wong Wa Kun at this time?" asked he. duty payable at the port of delivery by the ken, and the chiefs of the Buddhist Higashi number of members at half that of the "It must be treated as the Imperial palace," weight as taken for granted at the port of Honganji and Nishi Honganji, propose to House of Representatives. The vacancies was the reply. "And the outer-gates called shipment, without incurring the vexatious construct a railway between Fukui in would be filled by ballot, on a vote of the The Captain recalled said if the defendant Tung Wa Mun, and Sai Wa Mun, what of delay and loss in weighing on delivery what Yetchizen and Takaoka in Yetchiu, a dis- House, and both Chambers would sit and had been struck he had not been hit so as | them "? "Just the same as the gates of it has not been considered necessary to tance of about sixty-five miles in a straight | you together in the event of a deadlock." that name outside the Imperial palace," was weigh on shipment? If the Customs here line; and an application to the government Defendant was sentenced to four weeks' the reply. "And where ought horsemen are wrong in accepting from the exporter for permission will soon be presented. and occupants of sedans to dismount?" a measurement for a weight, it seems Every movement which tends to improve Outside these gates to be sure," said the manifestly unjust to compel the importer communication, and which is promoted by ceived a telegram from Colonel Pasley, unwary Treasurer. The Nam Hoi brightens to make good such error. In fact, Sir, private enterprise, is matter for congratula. stating that Lord Hartington declines to up, returns his thanks and withdraws. He I am of opinion that until the Customs tion; and the public will cordially wish endorse the arrangement that the China takes one night to think matters over,- at the port of delivery are convinced the promoters of the proposed new line of hails be detained at Galle 24 hours; also cautious Ts'il Next morning this resolute that smuggling is attempted they under- railway every success. plucky official tramps off to the Wong Wa take a work of supercrogation in weigh-Kun and posts notices in large staring cha- ing peas and beancake shipped from thern tour of his Majesty the Mikado. Mr. to take action. racters inside the aforesaid doors calling Newchwang. It is to be hoped that the Sugi, vice-minister of the household, and upon all cwil and military mandarins to dispute will be satisfactorily arranged, dismount then and there and use their legs for orders have reached this that charters ence of P. O. 527, and fined \$1 each or as they ought to do though it be for some are to be discontinued. The strike, if 500 yards or more. Before long they begin only allowed to go on for a month, means Kurada and Matsukata, to make arrange- arrives here. The Bacchante is not ex- Lacrtes (s.) to arrive, and regardless of all notices and many thousands of dollars out of the placards whatsoever, pour into the enclo- pockets of steamer owners. We do not for Chu Atak was convicted on the evidence sure and ride in as on the day before. The a moment suppose that any one is guilty highest and last arrival had gone in and the of wilfully doing what is wrong, but ceremonies commenced. Now is the time unfortunately that is no consolation to

into the street. We are the Viceroy's News.

chair bearers" says a voice. "No matter Hoi Aloi was charged with stealing a who you are, out you must go," and out

The time now comes for returning home. The Viceroy/Governor, and Tartar General asks another. All look blank with amazement, and the Tartar General stalks about breathing forth threatenings and slaughters. The Treasurer is there, and has an explanation ready as he thinks of the interview with the Nam Hoi of the night-before. But there is no explanation that can clear up the black scowling faces or suppress the low mutterings of these proud but well whipped officials. This worst of it was nothing could be done. These interference was all in accordance with the square and compass. Very lumbling to their dignity: though, to walk away without escort into the street at the order of a small District Magistrate, and to see him standing boldly and placidly looking on, the one brave man who for generations past had dared to do his duty in this respect and fearlessly live out his convictions. Bravo Nam Hoi! Hail to thee Ta'li and to all plucky District Ma-

He has won golden opinions at Fatshan. A murder had been committed there and he went to hold an inquest. It is usual to deinand a fee of from 50 to 100 Taels paid by the ward or street adjoining. Mr Ts'ü simply asked 3,000 cash (\$3), his bare persoul expenses for the day. Ten were thrust upon him but refused. The other day he found that a man had been in prison for three years and had been condemned to wear the kangue all his life simply for damaging the chair of a mandarin daring a coolie fight. He immediately set the man at liberty and did not hesitate to reprimand the prosecutor for his barbarous cruelty. These are some of the things which in two months have made him at once the most popular and unpopular

officer that has been in Cauton for many

China.

(Gazette, June 23.) The earthquake reported in our issue of . Saturday appears to have been also experi-

"On the 17th instant, at 3.18 p.m., as I was sitting in my room. I felt the chair rocking backwards and forwards, from North to South, five times, caused by five distinct chain, and gold ring, and remanded from the oscillations, then followed a double shock of earthquake which was of the most severe as hature I ever felt here. Afterwards a it was of a rather disagreeable nature we severe trembling for a few seconds and the whole preceded by a rumbling noise like distant thunder. Time (duration of shock) gality and scandal should also be put a stop, and the complainant, and a witness who 35 seconds by my calculation. Another party save that it lasted 45 seconds. The following charters have been effected

> Friedrich, 7,800 peculs, to Newchwang and back, 30 lay days, 30 cents per picul. Hecht, 8,500 peculs, Newchwang to Amoy, 22 lay days, \$1,955. E. v Beaulieu, 7,800 peculs, Foochow to Fientsin, 20 Jay days, \$2,100.

> Batavia, 9,250 peculs, Taiwanfoo to Shangiai, 25 lay days, \$1,800. Sophie; 5,400 peculs, Amoy to Chefoo and back, 20 lay days, \$1,350. Louise, 7,500 peculs, to Newchwang and back, 25 lay days, 30 cents per picul.

Peter, 6,000 peculs, to Chefoo and back 17 lay days, \$1,440. Maid Marian, 7,500 peculs, to Chefoo and back, 25 lay days, 24 cents per pecul. Carl Wilhelm, 5,800 peculs, to Chefoo and back, 17 lay days, \$1,600.

Chatraubriand, 10,000 peculs, Foochow to Tientsin, 20 lay days, \$2,600. NEWCHWANG. . Anent the dispute between the Customs and native merchants at Swatow, we are Frosts nip the tallest plants. Birds peck told that the Commissioner of Customs has the ripest fruit. Brave upright men are interfered with "ole custom," in ordering scarce everywhere-scarcer here. They all imports to be examined and weighed can't live in this atmosphere. Viceroys, at one particular jetty instead of allowing Governors and Tartar Generals can't endure | importers to take produce and other goods the sight of an independent honest man, right away as they arrive per steamers. Such a man has no chance here, and it will Natives complain that a steamer's cargo not surprise you to hear that Ts'ii's very of peas and beancake, for instance, arriving I have integrity is bringing him plenty of enemies at Swatow, could not within a reasonable in the upper grades of official life. Amongst time, especially when the work is only the people he is glorified. Everywhere can allowed to go on in Customs, hours, be be heard the praises of the new Nam Hoi. weighed by the staff at hand, and that, For weeks past men have been driving a therefore, a serious loss is the result, the rearing trade selling papers recording his ordinary lay days left for discharging not of that kind, to sort of tone down the joke wonderful doings. Much that we hear is being sufficient for the purposes required a bit. A thing like that, hitting a man exaggerated, no doubt; but even if one by the Customs. Duty is payable here—on. beancake at 48 catties per piece, and on culated to flabbergast him considerably— singular character. There is one good story peas at 300 catties per fan or shu. The tanleast 20 different people. About six weeks | to weigh three piculs, but when the pulse is ness best, but for my own part I never liked | ago the principal Civil and Military Officers | new, vessels frequently find that whereas went to the Wong Wa Kun in this city to they have chartered for freight payable inaugurate the public mourning for the late at Customs weight, the out-turn, judging Empress. These opening ceremonies lasted | by-the draught, must be considerably more. three days. The building in which these | On the other hand, natives know that rites were conducted ought to have been beancake, as a rule, does not weigh regarded with as much veneration as the 48 catties calculated by the Customs Imperial Palace and approached as re- for payment of duty, and so they verently as if her deceased Majesty's re- | charter for payment of freight at 46 catties. mains were there lying in state. On the Thus, by settling the freight payable by first day the honest soul of the Nam Hoi | charter on 46 catties per piece of bemicake, was sorely grieved at seeing a place which and at Customs weight for peas and other tradition and imagination had made sacred | produce, the Chinese gain a decided adto his loyal heart descrated by multi- vantage. In the event of a master objecttudinous chairs and horses; and time- ing to receive freight on perhaps 5% to 10% honored customs violated by officers high less than his vessel has actually shipped and low riding right up into the very and insisting on having the cargo weighed temple doorway almost within eight of the it becomes a question whether the Custo'ns throne! As the magistrate in whose dis- at the port of delivery should fine the imtrict this occurred and who had a heavy porter for attempting to smuggle a heavier Japan **УОКОНАМА** (Gazette.)

The Hochi Shinbun publishes bad news from Hokknido. On the 20th a severe gale swept the coast in the vicinity of Otaru. At Takashima-gori, 80 lives were lost; at Masuo-gori, 76; and at other places more loss of difference reported The fishermen vere the chief sufferers.

The Nichi Nichi Shinbun announces that

at the close of the present financial year (June 30th) the government will not renew the annual grant in aid of the printing office : and that this branch of the finance department will be left to its income to desire to accept it, and others declare for children instructed was 36,277, an increase neet its disbursements. only wonder is that a retail shop such as more stringent measures were agreed to colorated so long. The allowance for the meetings in Ireland. cellancous allowanes, 8,472 yen; office Cork, to the number of 12,000, gesisted the expenses 7,497 yen; shrottage 150 yen; in Military, who were escorting briliffs all 55,952 yen. The receipts of the flice engaged in evictions. The troops were are estimated to produce 30,000 year, so connelled to fire, and there was bloodshed

has been too long delayed. The Hochi Shinbun says that Mr Ito, a of Afghanistan. military student sent to Fusan to learn the Korean language, recently disguised himself as a Korean and proceeded into the interior. between Germany and Russia. guage and the style of wearing his bair, Coercion Act, Kettle, a prominent member betrayed him, and Mr Ito was subjected to of the Irish Land League, who recently

being summarily decapitated. The position of Japanese residents in Fu-

forger was at once arrested. The operation | creasing. of "improving" the value of these slips of | It is officially announced that an amicable

surmounted this difficulty is not stated. The regatta to be held on the 15th instant sented to pay £15,000 in full settlement of on the Sumida-gawa was expected be a hall claims.

with live torpedoes were to be made. should be placed. It is to the effect that | the Government. not uncommon in Japan ; but having regard to the grand appearance of the crops and is no instification for supposing any assumed grievances connected with the system of land tenure to be at the foundation of the tumult which our contemporary mentions. The same paper gives notice that single cases of cholera have been observed in the districts about Hiogo and Osaka, and although no fears of an outbreak are entertained, the utmost caution is enjoined. to ask what has become of the Board of. Health, whose labours were of the greatest

we are likely to find ourselves in the position of the man who locked the stable-door after his horse had been stolen. A mine of coal of good quality and supposed unlimited quantity, Las been discovered at Niiniya mountain, Muru-gori,

made have ceased to be carried out; and

Wakawamaken. The severity of the winter in Hokkaido has been greater than any remembered during the past thirty years. The snow. which covered the face of the entire island, lying in some places from twelve to thirty feet deep, only began to melt at the close of last month. Pasture lands have been covered with hard snow for so long a period that | horses have died in great numbers from starvation. In the district of Kimofuri: horses have died off by hundreds; and if the island had possessed any quantity of cattle the loss would have been immense.

One of the Korean travellers is a strong advocate for civilization (our readcastnay place their own definition upon this, in sent in bursuit of the murderous tribe. eastern countries, much abused noun), and is enthusiastic in his observation of military science as seen in Tokio. The Mai Nichi Skinbun satirically implies that in consequence of what the Korean official has seenhe will endeavour to induce the Korean King to reorganize the army on the French

Railways, dynamite, and the power drill. said an American statesmen, are the forces which created the power and wealth of the United States. That this is substantially true, few will care to deny; and if the Hoch Shinben is correct another railway people to follow so excellent an example, milar to that which was approved by the Mayeta of Kaga, the shizoku of Ishikawa tion of the Legislative Council by fixing the

The people of Akita and Yamagata ken have repair her. long desired the honour of a visit from the A large and enthusiastic anti-Chinese Lizzie C. Troop. Mikado, and are said to be intensely grati- meeting was held at the Temperance Hall fied at the prospect of its fulfilment. When to-night, when a resolution was passed Carnaryonshire (s.) for our brave little Nam Hoi. His orders those who may be ruined by the carrying in Hokksido his Majesty will preside at the calling upon the City Council to cause the coremonial opening of the Yezo railway. sanitary laws to be strictly carried out in Electra (s.) have been disobeyed, and forthwith he out of "Regulations" to the letter, when charges the crowd right and left, driving a spirit of liberality should be the moving

pals in the recent riot in the Akita ken, promised, if in office next session, to introhave been arrested. It is to be hoped that duce the Chinese Bill as agreed to by the tranquillity will be restored before the Intercolonial Conference. The expressed Mikado sets out on his journey to that his approval of the inovement, and hoped found fitting objects for the imperial cle- Some of those at the meeting talked de-

LATE LONDON TELEGRAMS

The following are from Australian papers to hand yesterday :-

London May 22 - The Land Leaguers cannot agree about the Land Bill; some This is gratifying intelligence; and the It is rumoured that at a Cabinet meeting. printing office is should have been with reference to the prohibition of public

present year is, salaries 39,826 yen; mis- May 28.—The peasantry in the county of 0.37; for provisional schools 60, or an inthat is costs the nation 26,000 yen directly on both sides before the people gave way. for its maintenance, while indirectly, it has Hostilities between the troops of Ab- General furnishes some interesting returns. interfered with a considerable number of derahmen and Ayoub Khan have comsmall tradesmen. The abolition of the menced near-Candahar.

government printing office, and of all The Calcutta Covernment protests kindred undertakings, is a necessity which strongly against the determination of the the persons employed, 391 to 837; average British Government to abandon the whole Trickett has gone to Australia.

There is an apparent-growing coolness On reaching Riesan, about seven ri from May 30 .- In accordance with the power way. Fusan his imperfect knowledge of the lan- conferred upon the Government by the

serious outrage at the hands of the populurged that the tenants should unanimously lace. Intelligence was sent to Fusan, and strike against the payment of rents on Mr Ito was eventually restored; two estates where evictions had taken place, Koreans concerned in the attack on him has been arrested and lodged in Kilmain-Lord Hartington, in reply to a question san is not the pleasantest; and their lives in the House of Commons to-day, stated would not be worth much if the Korean, that the announcement in the Times laws were the only protection the strangers this morning to the effect that the Home

Government had given orders for the early A strange story is related by the Nichi evacuation of Pishin, in the vicinity of the Nichi Shindon respecting the discovery of a Bolan Pass, is entirely devoid of foundation. counterfeiter of currency. A policeman on . May 31,—The House of Commons went his rounds at about 2 a.m. on the 10th into committee this afternoon on the Trish instant, observed a light in the house occu- Land Bill. Upon the reading of the first pied by one Tomihara, Akashi-cho, Yoc- clause a discussion arose, and strong oppo- Credits. home, Tokio. Peeping through a crevice sition was manifested towards the measure. in the shutters the constable observed the especially on the part of the Home Rulers. occupant busily engaged in manipulating The amendments on the bill, of which nokinsatsu, deftly changing ten-sen pieces into | tice has been given, amount already to no | Shanghai, domand, 50-sen, and one-yen into two-yen. The less than 1500, and the number is daily in-

paper was so cleverly performed that the understanding has been come to between closest scrutiny failed to distinguish the the British and the United States Governfaces of the false notes from the original. | ments upon the questions arising out of the A circumstance which seems to be overlooked Fortune Bay dispute. The American is the colours employed to denote the several Government claimed payment of a large values. A ten-sen piece is green backed sum as an indemnity for outrages committed while a fifty-sen, or b yen, is buff. One-yen by Newfoundland fishermen destroying nets has a blue back and two-yen is also buff, and boats belonging to American subjects similar to the ! yen. How Mr Tomihars fishing in the same waters. The British Government has now con

lively and spirited affair. Already sixty | June 1. - In the House of Commons this boats manned by over six hundred men afternoon, the debate on the Irish Land were entered for the different events. And, Bill was resumed. The most important as no pleasure is perfect without the in- speech of the sitting was made by Sir Staftroduction of a spice of danger, experiments | ford Northcote. Conservative leader in the House, who argued strongly against the The Nichi, Nichi Shinbun gives currency | measure, and dendunced, at the same time, to a story upon which it declares no reliance | the feebleness of the whole Irish policy of

one of the Sangi, name not given, has June 2.—A large proportion of the Lonreceived intelligence by wire of an alarming | don, and | Provincial | Press is at present outbreak in Akita ken, in which 400 rioters devoting much space to the consideration had destroyed the police office, and were of the troubles in Ireland. A majority of devastating the ken. If there should be the writers attribute these troubles chiefly any truth in this report speculation on the to the influence exercised by the Irish Land probable causes of the disturbance would League. The Government are arged in be at least premature. Agrarian riots are many articles to take steps for the effectual suppression of the League. Advices received from different parts of

the promising character of the season, there Ireland during the past day or two report a continuation of the unsettled and disaffected state of the country. Affrays of a more or less serious character are of daily occurrence, and invariably connected with process-serving evictions. June 3.—Government is blamed for not

suppressing the Land League. Affairs are daily becoming more alarming in Ireland. While processes were being Mention of this dreaded disease induces us served in Clare, a number of peasantry, armed with Snider rifles, fired upon the police, and the latter returned the fire, kilsanitary value? The recommendations ling one and wounding many others.

Gladstone states that Government will take vigorous action in protecting resident landholders in Ireland, and that more military detachments will be sottled in the

The Home Rulers in the Commons, having resorted to obstruction, further measures are being adopted to prevent the suspension of debates. June 6. — Numerous outrages having been

committed in Bulgaria, the whole country

has been placed under hartial law. A large meeting of Irishmen and Land Leagae sympathisers has been held at Hyde Park. Parnell demanded that the Government should stop the evictions as the only means of averting direct consequences. Despite all threats the attitude of the Government is daily becoming firmer for the enforcement of law and order. The Algerians of the interior have mas-

sacred twenty-six Frenchmen who were constructing a telegraph line. Troops have been

Australian Items.

NEW ZEALAND. Wellington, June 2.—There has been destructive fire at Tauranga. Loss £30,000 of which only £10,000 is covered by insur-

Government has decided to release all

Maori prisoners. June 3.—The Premier, in addressing his constituents, said that the Estimates this year would be £250,000 below those of last movement seems to indicate a growing year. The Government would introduce a resolution on the part of the Japanese bill dealing with the Chinese question si-

Melbourne, May 31.—Mr Berry has re-Preparation are being made for the nor. and the Lord Advocate of Scotland is about

June 8 .- H.M.S. Burchante will be de-Mr Date, first secretary, will leave on the tained at Albany ten days longer owing to Sumatra. -23rd instant, to be followed at the begin- heavy ironwork required, and it is expected ning of next month by their excellencies she will require further repairs when she Asia (s.) ments for the reception of his Majesty at pected here till the 15th June, when it is Cadiz (s.) the various resting places on the route. expected to take four weeks more to further

The Nichi Nichi Shinbun states that habitations of the Chinese. Mr Berry was Phoenix, Shibata Asajiro and thirteen other princi- present, and addressed the meeting. He Brutus (c.)

district; and that the offenders will be that the agitation would be continued. Boy cotting" the Chinese, and suggested that farmers employing Chinese be burnte

> Adelaide, Jury 2.-The report of the Minister of Education for 1880 was laid before Parliament to-day. The total schools number 370, being an increase of 30 over the previous year. The net number of of 1039; the average monthly roll, 26,967 teachers of all ranks, 837, showing an increase of 39. The average per-centage secured at the children's examinations was 70.81 for public schools, being a decrease of crease of 5.7.. Certificates had been granted for free education, numbering 457. In the year the total area of lands dedicated to education was 201,403 acres; the annual revenue was £16,097. The Inspectorbearing on the progress of education for the last five years. Comparing, 1880 with 1875 the schools had increased from 268 to 370; monthly attendance from 11,901 to 19,658 net number of children instructed 25,889 to

June 3. - Speeches in Parliament indicate the construction of a Transcontinental Rail-

Quotations. Hongkong, June 28. OPIUM—New Patua, cash, ...\$6224 cash.... 615 New Benares, cash,... 🛶 New Malwa, credit,... 710 Allowance, Taels..... 6
Old Malwa collit,... 760
Allowance, Taels..... 8 Exchange.

Demand. +30 days' sight. 4 months' sight. Documentary, 4 months' sight, 3/9 50 days' sight, private Gold Leaf, 994 fine Sovereigns, ... Shares. Hongkong Bank, 103 % prem., buvers.

Union Ins. Soc. of C'ton, \$1,625 p. share. China Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,700 p. share. North China Ins. Co., Tls. 1,100 per share. Yangtsze-Ins. Assoc., Tls. 810 p. shage. Chinese Ins. Co., \$312 per share. H.K. Fire Ins. Co., \$1,000 per share China Fire Ins. Co., \$300 per share. H.K. & W. Dock, 55 % prem., sales. H. C. M. S. boat Co., \$31 prem. S'hai Steam Nav., Th. 3 per g. nominal. China Coast St. Nav. Co., Tls. 160 p. share. Hongkong Gas Co., \$82 per share. Hongkong Hotel Co., \$975 per share.

China Sugar Ref. Co., \$186 p. share, sellers. Debentures, 3 % prem. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1874, nominal H.K. Ice Co.'s shares, \$1271 per share. Hongkong Bakery, \$43½ per share.

Temperature. (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises.

Queen's Road.) Hongkong, June 28. Вапометен— 9 а.м.... 29.988 Do. 1 P.M... 29.974 4 P.M.... ... (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. Do. 1 P.M. 4 P.M. 80 Maximum Do. Minimum over night

Shipping Intelligence The following is corrected from the latest London and Colonial Papers, &c. :-VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

AT HONGKONG. 17, Creswell, Liverpool Cardiff Huguenot, Cardiff Molusine. Freeman. Liverpool Invincible. L'pool v. Cardiff 21. Astoria. Cardiff London Hermes. Cardiff Elwell. Cardiff Abbie Carver. New York 11. Star of China. Falmouth lo, Denbighshire, Cardiff. Cardiff Nearchus.

Cardiff Daniel Barnes. Laurel Gravesene India, Cardiff 30. Flora. Hamburg 30, Kaisow. London l, Lucile, Liverpool 1. John C. Munro, London London Clara, . London

London Ambassador. Cardiff Don Quixote. Cardiff Chili. Daniel Barnes Newport 9, Paul Jones. New York 2. Landseer. Cardiff Liverpool 13. Figaro. 17. North American. Penarth Bristol* 18. Raven: Cuxhaven 18. Nautilus, 22, New Era. Cardiff Cardiff

Cardiff Cardiff 5. Prudencia. Cuxhaven New York 9. Stone Nordiske (s.) London 10. Figuro.

Cardiff 10, Nautilus, Hamburg 10, Figaro. Cardiff 11. Helen Marion, L'pool v. C'diff. 11, Belle Morse, L'pool v. C'diff. 14. Metapedia (s.) London San Francisco 16, Oceanic (s.)

Cardiff Gustav Oscar. Cardiff 17. Merionethshire (s.) LOADING FOR CHINA AND JAPAN PORTS. At London - Steamers via Suez Canal: Bothwell Castle.

Sailing Veesels. At Liverpool. Deucalion (s.) Reina Mercedes (s.). Laon XIII (s.) At Cardiff.

Stonewall Jackson.

Esmeralds.

insurances.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-

HE Undersigned AGENTS for the above Company in a prepared to accept Risks on First Class Godo and at h per cent. nett NORTON & Co.,

Agonts. \downarrow Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-

PANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

CAPITAL, FULLY SUBSCRIBED,\$1,000,000.

Board of Directors. KOH MOON WAH, Esq., Chairman. | Leong On, Esq.

BAN HUP. Esq. K. YIN KAI, Esq. | CHONG PENG, Esq. QUAN HOI CHUNE, Esq. KWOK YIN KAI, Esq., Manager.

Woo Lin Yuen, Esq., Assist. & Secretary. THE Company grants Policies on MARINE RISK to all parts of the World, payable at any of its AGENCIES Contributory Dividends are payable all Contributors of Business, whether they

> WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.

Hongkong, March 14, 1881.

are Shareholders or not.

HEAD OFFICE.

No. 2, Queen's Road West,

MANCHESTER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up . £ 100,000 Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000 Annual Income $\pm 250,000$

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF His Majesty King George The First, л. р. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-Marine Department.

Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department. Policies issued for long or short periods at

Life Department. Policies issued for sums not exceeding $\pounds 5,000$ at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

ANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid up)....Tls. 420,000.00 PERMANENT RESERVE......Tls. 230,000.00 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tis. 288,936.17

TOTAL CAPITAL and AC-

Directors. F. B. FOREES, Esq. Chairman. W. M. Boyd, Esq. | Whi. MEYERINK, Esq. J. H. PINCKVOSS, F. D. HITCH, Ésq.

HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL Messra RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH Messra BARING BROTHERS & Co., * Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent, 68 and 69. Cornhill. Policies granted on Marine Risks to all the foreign community generally will find parts of the World.

Subject to a Charge of 12 % for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the Profits of the Underwriting Business are annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the Premia paid by them. RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 20, 1881.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1880. CAPITAL,....£2,000,000

THE Undersigned, AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the

extent of £10,000 on any Building or on Merchandise in the same, at Current Rates. RISKS on First Class Godowns Reduced to \ % nett premium per annum from this date. GILMAN & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, May 10, 1881.

Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of Notes & Queries on China and Japan, has induced the publishers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CHINA REVIEW, or Notes and Queries on the Far East, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs woodcute, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage

paid, per annum, payable by non-residents

in Hongkong half-yearly in advance. The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, My blogy, Manners and Customs, Natural Listory, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelego and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number. Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese, admissible. Endeavours are made to present a resume in each works bearing on Chinese matters. Greatattention is also paid to the Review

Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries whichthough asking for information, furnish new or anpublished details concerning the matter in band. It is desirable to make the Queries proper as brief and as much to the point as possible.

The China Review for: July and August, 1875, is at hand. It says that forty-two essays were sent in to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. Til our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty paged, bi-monthly, repertory of what scholars are ascertaining about China. The lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Review. Address China Review. Hongkong.-Northern

Christian Advocate (U.S.) Trubner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the China Review :- " This is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of Notes and Queries on China and Japan, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted inclurope as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body,

among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers 'highly creditable to their respective authors. In a paper on Dr. Legge's She King, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of honour, is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the China Review may receive the support necessary to insure

THE CHINESE MAIL.

its continuance. The publication is intended to appear every two months, and will

form a substantial octavo magazine.

This paper is now · issued overy day. The subscription is fixed at Four Dollars per annum delivered in Hongkong, or Seven Dollars Fifty Cents including postage to Coast portage CUMULATIONS, 2nd ... Tls. 938,936.17 ... It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever issued under purely native direction. The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, amongst whom also are to be found guarantors and securities necessary to

place it on a business and legal footing. The projectors, basing their estimates upon the most reliable information from the various Ports in China and Japan .-From Australia, California, Singapore, Penang, Saigon, and other places frequented by the Chinese, - consider themselves justified in guaranteeing an ultimate circulation of between 3,000 and 4,000 copies. The advantages offered to advertimers are therefore unusually great, and

it to their interest to avail themselves of The field open to a paper of this description-conducted by native efforts, but progressive and anti-obstructive in tone-In almost limitless. It on the one hand commands Chinese belief and interest while on the other it deserves every aid that can be given to it by foreigners. Like English journals it contains Editorialswith Local, Shipping, and Commercial News and Advertisements. Subscription orders for either of the

above may be sent to GEO. MURRAY BAIN,

China Mail Office. FREDERIC ALGAR, COLONIAL, NEWSPAPER & COMMIS-

SION AGENT,

11. Clement's Lane, Lombard Street,

HE Colonial Press supplied with Newspapers, Books, Types, Ink. Presses. Papers, Correspondents, Letters; and any European Goods on London terms,

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS. Colonial Newspapers received at the office are regularly filed for the inspection of Advartuers and the Public

Visitors' Column.

We have instituted as an experiment a Visitors' Column, which we trust will prove successful, and be found useful. To it will be relegated from time

to time such items of information, lists, tables and other intelligence as is considered likely to prove valuable to persons passing through the City, and in connection with we have opened SELECT HOTEL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY, applications for enrolment into which we are now ready to receive. rent may be paid either as Newspapers or

List of Public Buildings. Government House, North of Public Gardens ...

City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and Museum,—Free.

Public Gardens, a beautifully picturesque paper, it will not be charged less than 5 retreat and of great interest. The Clock Tower, Queen's Road Cen-

trul, in a line with Pedder's Whurf. General Post Office, Hongkong Club, German Club, Supreme Court, &c., within a stone's-throw.

Lusitano Club and Library, Shelley St. Government Offices, the Secretariat, &c., mear the Public Gardens.

St. John's Cathedral (Anglican), above the Parade Ground.

Roman Catholic Cathedral, Wellington

Union Church, Elgin Street. St. Peter's Seamen's Church, West Point. Joseph's (R.C.) Church, Garden

Road, near Kennedy Roal. Temperance Hall, specially adapted for sea-faring men, Queen's Road East.

Sailors' Home, West Point. E. A. and China Telegraph Co., and the Great Northern Telegraph Co.,

Marine House, Queen's Road. Masonic Hall, Zetland Street.

ictoria Recreation Club-Bath-house and Boat-house, &c.,-Praya, beyond the Cricket Ground, beside the City

he Barracks and Naval and Military Store Departments lie to the eastward, and cover a large area.

Stores, Books, &c.

Outfitter, Hosier, Tailor, &c.-T. N. DRISCOLL, 45 and 47 Queen's Road, by special appointment to H.E. the Governor.

Chronometers, Watches, Jewellery, Maps and Charts .- G. FALCONER & Co., Queen's Road Central.

American and English Stores, Books, and specially selected Cigars .- MAC-EWEN, FRICKEL & Co.

Chair and Boat Aire.

LEGALISED TARIFF OF FARES FOR CHAIR! CHAIR BEARERS, AND BOATS, IN THE COLONY OF HONGKONG.

Chairs and Ordinary Pullaway Boats. Half hour,10 cts. | Hour,20 cte. Phree hours,... 50 cts. | Six hours,.... 70 cts Day (from 6 to 6), One Dollar.

	To VICTORIA PEAK. Single Trip.
	Four Coolies,
	Return (direct or by Pok-foo lum).
•	Four Coolies,
	To Victoria Gap (to level of Umbrell Feat.) Single Trip.
	Four Coolies, \$0.6 Three Coolies, 0.5 Two Coolies, 0.4
•	Return (direct or by Pok-foo-lum.

Two Coolies,... The Return Fare embraces a trip of not more than three bours.

For every hour or part of an hour above three hours, each Coolie will be entitled to an ad vitional payment of 5 cents. Day Trip / Peak,......\$0 75 each Coolie. (12 hours) { Gap, \$0.60 each Coolie.

Licensed Bearers (each). 10 cents. Haif day, 35 cents. Day, 50 cente.

1st Class Cargo Boat of 8 or 900

picula, per Day, 1st Class Cargo Boat o 8 or 900 picula, per Load, ... 2nd Class Cargo Boat of 600 piculs, per Day, 2nd Class Cargo Boat of 600. piculs, par Load, Brd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kan Boat of 800 Brd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kan Boat of 800

piculs, per Load,

or Pullaway Bosts, per Day. Half-an-Hour, Nothing in this Scale provents private agree

8rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kan Boat of 800

itreet cooties. Scale of Hire for Street Coolies. Three Hours, 12 One Hour Half Home. Nothing in the above Scale to affect private

Hongkong' Rates of Postage.

(Revised December 1st, 1880.) In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in cents, and are, for

Lietters, per half ounce, for Books and Patterns, per two ounces. Newspapers over four funces in weight are charged as double, treble, &c., as the case may be, but such papers or packets or papers may be sent at Book Rate. Two Newspapers must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplements. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices Cur-

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight o a packet containing any partially written

The sender of any Registered Article may accompany it with a Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 5 cents. The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed these dimensions: 8 inches by 4 inches by 2

N.R. means No Registration.

Countries of the Postal Union. The Union may be taken to comprise Europe, most foreign possessions in Asia, Japan, W. Africa, Egypt, Mauritius, all N. America, Mexico, Salvador, Brazil, Peru, Chili, Venezuela, The Argentine Republic, Jamaica, Trinidad, Guiana, Honduras, Bermuda, Labuan, with al Danish, French, Netherlands, Portuguese and Spanish Colonies.

Countries NOT in the Union .- The chief countries not in the Union are the Australasian Group, and S. Africa. Postage to Union Countries,

General Rates, by any route :-10 cents per 5 oz. 8 cents each. Post Cards, 10 cents. Registration. 2 cents each. Books, Patterns and } 2 cents per 2 oz. Comm. Papers. There is no charge on redirected corre

spondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries. Hawaiian Kingdom :-None. Registration. Nowspapers Books & Patterns. 5* West Indies (Non Union)t, Boliviat, Costa Rica, Guatemala, New Granada, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay T.

Registration. Newspapers, Books & Patterns. Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, and Fiji, via Torres Straits, Letters, 10; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 2: Via Galle, Letters, 25; Re-

gistration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Natal, the Cape, St. Helens, and Ascension, via Aden, Letters, 25; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 5.

* A small extra charge is made on delivery. + There is Registration to British W. India Islands, 10 cents. # Registration via San Francisco, 10 cents. Cannot be sent via San Francisco.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

						WHAMPOA
5 P & -	ce) viz.:	06A	Between Hongkong, Canton, and Macao, in either direction.			Jan Peter
O	· -	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	to	cents.	Letters per ½ oz.	Chen-to
	10			cents.	Regis- tration.	Kuropa Freya Kestrel Legaspi
	, .			cent	Post Oards,	Marquez del Duero Mecanec Sheldrake Tweed Victor Emanue.
	ю.			cents.	News-	At Canton
	ca		· · ·	cents.	Books and Patterns, per 2 oz.	Midge
	20	,.*		cenis.	Parcels, per lb. including Registry.	HONGKONG,

(d) Parcels at Book Rates, registry optional. Via Singapore, 10 cents. (f) No Parcel Post.

Local Delivery. 1. All correspondence posted before 5 p.m. on any week day for addresses in Victoria will be delivered the same day, and generally within two bours, unless the

delivery should be retarded by the Contract 2. Invitations, dec., can generally be, delivered within Victoria at the private houses of the manufactures rather than at places of business, if a wish to that effect be expressed by the sender, otherwise all correspondence is invariably delivered at the nearest place of business.

8. Boxholders who desire to send Circulars, Dividend Warrants, Invitations, Cards, to, all of the same weight, to addresses in Hongkong, Bangkok, or the Ports of China and Japan, may deliver them to the Post Office unstamped, the postage being then charged to the sender's account. Each batch must consist of at least ten. 4. Boxholders may also send Patterns to the same places in the same way. En-

velopes containing Patterns may be wholly closed if the nature of the contents be first exhibited or stated to the Postmaster General, as he may consider necessary, and approved by him. Printed Circulars may be inserted in such Pattern Packers. PARCELS.-The public is reminded that.

there is no such thing as Parcel Post to Europe, &c. Much trouble and disappointment are caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable trifles through the Post. Fans, Curios Articles of Dress, Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused, the senders having often spent more in Postage than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can be made or such parcels of the value of Stamps obliterated before the nature of the contents was discovered.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels mar the Hongkong shore are marked h, near the Kowloong shore k, and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. 2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Ivon Works. .7. From Naval Yard to the Pier. 3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Barbour Master's Office. 8. From Pier to East Point. 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.

Flag and Destination Date of Remarki Consignees or Agents. Vessel's Name. ~Captain. Steamers Shanghai 814 June 28 Siemssen & Co. 4 c Drewes Brit. str. 787 June 28 Siemssen & Co. Atalanta 2 c Ploff Ger. 891 June 27 Gibb, Livingston & Co.Brit. Shanghai 799 June 21 Siemssen & Co. K'loon Dock Chinkiang Brit. Y'hama & San F'cisco To-morrow 5079 June 20 P. M. S. S. Co. Cos'tan Dock 769 June 20 lardine, Matheson & Co. Cleveland Barvey Brit. atr. Cakao Amoy and Manila 222 June 27 Remedies & Co. To-day Emuy.....Span. str. Tue Plying H.K. & W'pes Dock Co. K'ioon Dock May 18 Douglas Lapraik & Co. Hanter Brit. str. K'loon Dock Heron Babje Brit. str. Coast Ports 674 June 28 Douglas Lapraik & Co. Kwangtung 5 h Zoung Brit. atr. 1337 June 21 Geo. R. Stevens & Co. _ Midlothian 2 c Chester Brit. str. 827 June 14 Order Salvadora 5 h Larrinaga Span. str. 615 June 26 Remedios & Co. Sea Gull 7 h Haydon amor. str. 48 Nov. 24 China Traders' Insurance Co. 820 June 25 ouglas Lapraik & Co. Coast Ports To-morrow. Ab'deen Dook Thornhill Walker Brit. str. 965 June 26 Meyer & Co. 951 June 25 Messageries Maritimes okohama Volga | 6 c Guirand Fch. str. To-day Newchwang Sailing Vessels 1252 June 5 Borneo Co., Limited 442 June 13 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Havre and Hamburg 529 June 14 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. 3 k Wesenberg Ger. bqe. Manila C. D. Bryant.......... 7 c McParse Amer. bqe. 929 June 9 Eduard Schellhass & Co. San Francisco C. F. Sargent 7 c therton Amer. sh. 1704 June 11 Sorneo Co., Limited London & Hambure Foocbow Chateaubriand 5 k Dodd Brit. bqe. Manila Chusan 7 b Thirkell Brit. bqe. New York 576 June 15 Arphold, Karberg & Co. Conquest 8 c Howes.......... Amer. bqe. Foochow...... 2 b Goldberg Siam. bg. Manila 17 Eduard Schellbass & Co. Great Surgeon 7 c Arbecam Amer. bqe. 909 June New York 30|Vozel & Co. fl. A. Litchfield 8 c Lanpher Amer. bqe. Philippines H. H. McGilvery 7 c Ford Amer. sh. 1329 June Havre and Hamburg H. Upmann 3 k Weber Ger. bqc. London & Bamburg Cleared Hansa......4 c Deneken Get. bqe. Kelung 13 Eduard Schellhass & Co. Hermine 2 h Longreon wed. bge. 288 June San Francisco Highlander 2 k Clough Amer. sh. 1352 Jnne l'ien**tein**z June 24 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Hilda Maria 4 k Johannsen Jer. bge. BotapurBrita bae. June 13 Lane. Crawford & Co. San Francisco Java Packet 4 c Hansen Brit. bqe. Havre and Hamburg Joachim Christian ... 3 k Ricklefs Ger. bqe. New York ' Jonathan Chase 7 c Castigan Amer. bqe. Leonidae 2 c Prehn Brit. sb. 2 Eduard Schellhass & Co. Louisa......3 k Schierlah Ger. Sm. sc. New York June 14 Naval Yard Mabel 5 k Snow Amer. *qe. June 24 Eduard Schellhass & Co. Mary 2 h Wilson Brit. bg 237 May 27 J. D. Hutchison May..... Bri. bktine. Quinhon Norsemen 2 h Conception..... \ism_ San Francisco P. G. Carvill........ 8 c McFee Brit. an Francisco Roderick Hay 3 k Nicolson Brit. bqe. New York Sir John Laurence 7 c Best........ Brit. sh. 1090 June 2b ressageries Maritimes Amer: sch. London Theon Kramom2 o Vorrath Siam, bqe. 923 Jane 13 Borneo Co., Limited Tiber 7 c Rennie Brit. bqe. 500 June 14 Pustau & Co. Velocity 3 c Martin Brit. bqe. Wilna 7 c Lombard 3 mer. ah. 1488 June 25 Order Victoria (V. 1.

Wen-. i-war it. Mongkong Harbour.

741 June 7 Yuen Fat Hong

336 June 16 Siemssen & Co.

Young Siam 2 h Gomard Siam. sh.

Affleck...... Brit. bqe. 282 June 15 Chinese

WHAMPOA

ļ			" .						
	Vessel's Name.	Anahur -	Flag.	Olass.	Tutis.	41636	Н. 1	Date of Arrival.	Commander.
	Chen-to Chop chung Mak Kuropa Freya Kestrel Legaspi Marquez del Duero Mecanee	6 h 6 c 7 h 6 c K.D.	Chinese Chinese British Russian German British Spanish Spanish British	gunboat gunboat gunboat consiser corvette gun vessel transport despatch vessel military hospital	221 300 360 3100 2000 462 485 2691	7 8 8 4	70 2400 100	June 25 June 28 June 19 June 27 June 25 Mar. 24 June 19 June 13	J. Stewart Li Tack-ming Lieut. Com: Napicr Comr. Capt. Gripenberg Lepel Guitz Maziano Torres Don Guillemeo Lobé
	Sheldrake Tweed Victor Emanue Wivern At Canton	6 h 6 c 5 k	British British Bettlsh British	gunboat gunboat Commodore's flag-ship turret-ship	455 360 3087	20 4	350	June 28	Lt. Com. M. L. Bridger Lieut. Com. Carey Commodore Cuming Wm. M. Lang
~	Midge	ا	British .	gunbost	465	4	120	, Anna 70 .	Attention to the Period of the

HONGKO	NG, M	ACAO AND STEAMERS	CANTON RIVER	CHINI	_	V-VESS		CANTON
Name.	Tons	Captain	Ozoners	Name.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Commander.
Ichang	700	Ogston	Butterfield and Swire	An-lan Chen-to	221 221	7	70 70	Lin Kuo-ch ang J. Stewart
Kin Shan	457	********	H., C. & M. Sboat Co.	Chien-jui Ching-taing	80 180	.6	17 60	A. Getley. F. Bernard
Kiu Kiang	617	Benning, T.	H., C. & M. Sboat Co.	Chun-tung. Hai tung-bung	150 120	2	40	Chun li hu Laurg Yiu-ting
Kiang-ping	860	Holmes	C. M. S. S. Co.	Bus-shan Li-she	2 <u>4</u> 80	2 3	7 20	H. J. Faunch G. Rome g
Powan /	1890	Cary	H., C. & M. Sboat Co.	Peng-chou-hal Quang-on	562 120	*	125 40	C. H. Falmer Li Fing-tye
Spark	140	Lefavour	H., C. & M. Sboat Co.	Shen-chi Sul-teing	200 160	5	50 60	D. Reid J. B. Murray
White Cloud	280	Hoyland	H., C. & M. S. bost Co	Tching-on Tching-po	120 1(🗫	8	40 40	Chinese Admiral
Votsal 4	180	McDougall	K. Acheong & Sons	Tsing-po li-bu lu-min	180 20 24	6 2 8	60 8 7	A. Garceau M. Johnson J. Yeata

		1 14-8010		
	Fung-shun Glaucus Indon Glenavon	British British Chinese British	Charley Ching tah Elliotta Empress Erl König Fitzroy	British barque British barque British barque British barque British barque German barque British barque
Bungarian for Co	lentain lentai	British British British for London British British	Hilda Humboldt Lydia Mary Oscar Vidal Pallas	British barque A murican abipa British barque British achoonus British brig German barque
Chilton Br	L HARBOUR. Sindh L Tokio-Mar Wha-ou Yeh-ain itish	French Japanese BritishChinese BOHART BAILING TESELLS.	Pelham Pym Tyburnia Woodbine	British brig British barque British barque British barque
Europe Br Fatchoy Br	itish itish itish nerican	American ship British barque	Drao Foxbound Swatera	French corvette. H. M. punboas U. S. frigate

Printed and published by Guo. Myssaw Barrast the Chess Most Office, No. 2. Wyselbern Street, Hope kone.